CITY ITEMS.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT .-- (Montoy-Before Judges Nelson and Betts.)-Elward 9 Douglass, James Clements and Thomas Benson, convicted of the murder of Asa A. Havens, 2d mate of the bark Glen, were brought up for sentence .pouglass seemed at first serious and contemplative, but soon resumed a quiet appearance. Benson seem of rather to improve in fiesh than otherwise since histrial. Clements looked more thin, and appears so feel more deeply than either of the others.

Prenous to passing sentence, Judge Nelson gave an opinion on the motion for new trial, principally on the ground whether or not the Government have a right to challenge and set aside a juror without asrigning causes under the old rule of common law. Hethought there was such power, and that the law of Congress in relation to Juries, requiring a conformity with the laws of the State in which the trial is held, only refers to the rules and regulations for

Judge Betts took a different view, and thought even the principle of common or English law contended for by Judge Nelson, was abrogated by a later portion of the English law itself, and also that in this State, as early as 1786, a law was passed abrogating the Engish practice, which law was recaacted in 1801 and m 1813, and incorporated in the statute in 1849. Judge R thought the prosecution was bound by the same rules as the prinoner, to assign cause on challenging. In the present case, however, the question can have se importance whatever, and too trivial for the Court to divide upon, so that the motion for new trial is denied.

SENTENCE Judge N. then called the name of Douglass, who rose. The Judge stated that D. had been convicted of the murder of Asa A. Havens, and asked him if he had anything to say why sentence should not be

Douglass replied that the testimony he desired to offer was not admitted, (questions to one of the crew,) and he had nothing to say he would only say, as before, he was innocent.

The same question was put to Clements and Benson, who each replied that they had nothing to say, except that they were innocent.

Judge N. then addressed them at great length. stating there was no doubt whatever, but they had committed the murder in question, and intended, in connection with it, probably, the murder of other officers and a portion of their comrades, and a piraticalusurpation of the vessel-for this purpose they had seized the fire-arms of the vessel, and the private arms of the captain-a design in which they would, in all probability, have been successful, but for the ertraordinary courage and conduct of the captain, a courage and conduct, under the circumstances, rare lr. if ever surpassed.

The Court admonished them to prepare for death, and to seek pardon in view of that world to which they must soon pass. The Court has no doubt of their guilt-the Jury had not. As to the recommentation by the Jury of Clements and Benson to mercy. while it is not for the Court to anticipate the astion of the President of the United States, he would suggest to them, in view of the hemous crime of which they had been guilty, and the necessity of example and protection to the officers and crews of our merchant vessels, not to rest upon that idea, but to prepare for death. The Court reviewed the kindness of the officers, and particularly of deceased, to prisoners, and of the cruelty and turpitude of the act in which they had been engaged.

The Judge concluded by saying that it only remains for the Court to pass the sentence of the law, which is that prisoners be taken from their place of confinement, on the last Friday of July next, to the place of execution, and there, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock, be hung by the neck till they are

The prisoners then took their seats. They listened with much attention and appeared serious, but not greatly agitated.

MASS MEETING AT TAMMANY HALL.-We have seen the call for a Mass Meeting to be held on of our Democratic Senators and Representa-Lives in the Congress of the United States, on the all engressing and important question of the Freedom of the Public Lands , and to combine all true Demoerats for the purpose of engrafting the measure as one of the cardinal principles of the Democratic Party." We see this movement without alarm, for we do not like the present creed of this so-called "Democratic" Party enough to object to any improvements that may be made in it. We only hope that, in adopting Land Reform, our neighbors will go the whole figure, and not take up any counterfeit like that invented by Douglass of Illinois. But after Tammany has "enerafted" the measure, it doesn't follow that the party at large will do it. The time was when the decree of Tammany Hall was ommpo tent, but that day has gone by

THE NEW DRESS QUESTION .- The great authority, Genio C. Scott, discusses this delicate topic in the last number of his peerless " Mirror of Fashion," with his accustomed philosophical sagacity. He considers it past a doubt that the ladies of this country are determined to modify their present style of dress, as he has been called on to invent and publish a work on cutting for them. But Mr. Scott profoundly hopes that they will confine their improvements to business and street wear, as to take away the full flowing skirts of the drawing-room would at once destroy half the poetry of human existence .-In the present excited state of the public mind on the subject, no one should neglect consulting Genio's ingenious speculations.

LECTURES ON EUROPE AND EUROPEAN Politics .- We learn with pleasure that Mr. GUSTAV STREVE, the well-known German Republican, is about to give a course of Lectures on the above sub ject, at the Military Hall, Bowery. There are to be twelve of these Lectures, treating the historical and political topics necessary to an understanding of the recent revolutionary convulsions, the present condition and the prospects of that continent. They will be given in German, on Tuesday and Friday evenings of each week. We commend them to all who understand the language, who desire to hear the views of an intelligent and philosophical man upon Euro-

CANADIANS COMING .- We learn that an immense party of Canadians will be in this city to pass the Fourth of July, excursions having been got up for that purpose from both the Lower and Upper Provinces. It is estimated that from 1,000 to 1,500 will take advantage of the opportunity now afforded to visit this metropolis at a cheap rate and under agreeable auspices. The siea is a capital one, and e hope some means will be taken to receive the strangers with becoming hospitality.

De Columbia Hose Company of Philadelphia returned to this City Saturday afternoon by the Albany boat and were brilliantly received by a large number of our fire companies. The Philadel phians will remain with us until this afternoon, when they will leave for home.

GREAT SPEED ON THE ERIR RAILROAD .-The night express passenger train on this road, which arrived in New-York at 11.20 A.M. vesterday, ran 5 miles and 82-100 in 4 minutes and 57 seconds. This was done on a level grade, near Turner's. The conductor of this train was Mr. J. J. Buckhout.

The regular monthly meeting of the Historical Society takes place this evening, at its Rooms in the University. A paper will be read by Rev. Dr. Robinson, on the "History and Recent Collation of the English Bible."

CHAMBERS OF COMMON PLEAS.-NOW that the subject of Court-Rooms is before the Common Council, it may not be improper to notice s general feeling of surprise among the gentlemen of the Bar and others who have business there, at the madequate accommodations afforded for the Special Term and Chambers-room of this Court, it being small, and almost every morning, in consequence, over crowded. It is also badly fitted up, with ut carpet or the ordinary requisites afforded to other

court-rooms. The latter, at least, could be easily

Agreets by the Police.-James Gil-Annest's BY THE POLICE.—James Cyll-and Annetta Gifroy, his daugater, were arrested saturday evening, in Washington Market, charged hinking the pocket of Mrs. M. Vanderberk, re-ong at 29 West-Sixteenth-st., of a purse containing of a dollar. This couple were observed by the need act in a very suspicious manner, and were sely watched. Immediately after Mrs. V. lost her se, the man was seen to throw something into a red. An officer immediately arrested the accused, on looking into the barrel found the purse and a and on looking into the barrel found the purse and a handsome pearl port-monnais. \$16 in bank bills was found on the person of Giroy, who was taken to the Lawer Police Court, and committed for trial. His

inighter was discharged.
Francis George, colored, was on Sunday agrested.

on a charge of stealing a horse and waxon. He was held by Justice Timpson for examination.

A German named Christian Grete, under indictment for grand larceny, and also for receiving stolen goods was on Sunday arrested by officer Nevins of the District Attorney's office, and committed to prison for

Luke Flynn, alias Stephens, Mary Eldridge and Luke Flynn, alias Stephens, Mary Eldridge am Jane McCrann, were on Saturday arrested by officer Sutherland and Graham, of the Sixteeath Ward charged with passing counterfeit \$10 bills on the Pacific Bank of this City to different store-keepers if the Eighth and Ninth avs. They were committed to prison by Justice Bleakley for examination. Any persons who have been swindled by these persons will serve the ends of justice by being present at the examination.

Joseph A. Rowley was, on Saturday, arrested by officer Wagan, of the 4th Ward, charged with stealing \$40, the property of Aaron Smith, residing in Oak-st. The accused was held for examination. Wim Mulligan was arrested on Saturday in ght, on a charge of maining, in biting off one of John Domonoe's ears. The two men were quarreling and fighting at a porter-house in the Fourth Ward at the time of the commission of the act. Mulligan was held to bail by Justice Osborne to answer the charge.

Drowner.-The body of a man, about 24 years of age, was picked up at Clifton, S. I., on Sat-urday, May 21. He was about five feet in hight, brown hair, small whiskers under his chin, dressed in a green sack coat, black pants, cotton socks, a breast pin with white and blue pearls and dark center, under shirt white and marked W, a silver watch and black chain and gold key. Had in his pocket a brass door-key with a string attached, 3s. 6d in English coin and 3s. in Spanish coin, with five pennies. He appeared to have been in the water but a short time. For fur-ther information inquire of Samuel F. Randolph. Coroner, at Quarantine Ground, Staten Island.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN PROPERTY .- Officer McConnell, of the Sixteenth Ward, on Satur-day recovered a horse and wagon which were stolen a short time since from the stable of James T. Hill. a short time since from the state of same to be of Poughkeepsie. The thief, it seems, brought the property to this City and sold it to a German black-smith, named Dedier, residing in Eighteenth-st. near Eighth-av. from whom it was recovered. The thief has not been arrested. The wagon and horse have been identified by Mr. Hill.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT .- A German woman named Appollonia Hertrand, residing in the family at 8 Carlysle-st, was horribly burned on Saturday evening, her clothes having caught fire from a furnace in the kitchen. Her infant, only five days old, was burned to death in her arms. The poor woman was taken to the City Hospital, where she lies beyond here of recovery.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT FROM CAMPHENE.-Louisa Reed, a servant in the family of Mr S. Tay-lor of No. 183 Forsyth street, was dreadfully burned on Saturday evening, by the bursting of a can of camphene, while she was in the act of filling a lamp with the fluid. Doctor skissain & Harlow were in attendance and consider her recovery doubtful.

DEATH BY DISEASE OF THE LUNGS .-Coroner Geer on Sunday heid an inquest at 113 Cedar-street, upon the body of Dominick De Compte, a na-tive of Italy, 30 years of age, who was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning. He had been com-plaining for three months past. A verdict of death by disease of the lungs was rendered by the jury.

DEATH BY DISEASE OF THE HEART .-An inquest was on Sunday held at 21 Trimty place upon the body of John Landy, a naive of Ireland, 42 years of age, who shed suddenly on Saturday evening. A verdict of death by disease of the heart was

ROBBERY .- The carpenter's shop of Mr.

Swenerton, in Forty-third-st., between Seventh and Eighth avenues, was broken open on Friday night, and robbed of tools to the value of \$30, with which the robber escaped. No arrest. RELEASED ON BAIL .- Thomas McIntosh,

against whom are two charges, one of perjury and the other of forgery, was on Saturday held to bail in \$1,000 each charge, to answer at Court.

BROOKLYN ITEMS.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE SANDS-ST JUVENILE MISSIONARY SOCIETY.-A numerous and respectable authence assembled Sunday night at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Sands-st. to celebrate the 3d anniversary of this Society, formed by the popils of the Sabbath School connected with that congregation. The pupils, who number nearly 500, filled the galleries and chaunted the hymns selected for the occasion with admirable skill and taste. The annual report was read by Mr. Chittem, Secretary of the Sabbath Schools—Mr. Pettigrew, the Secretary of the Society, being sick. It set forth that the Society had been conducted by a Board of Managers. ciety had been conducted by a Board of Man from the Sabbath School, the result of whose I appeared by the report of E. Acker, the Treas The balance at the close of last from the Sabbath School, the result of whose labors appeared by the report of E. Acker, the Treasurer. The balance at the close of last year, \$17–10 Amount collected \$423-74 (\$200 of which had been collected by children at their Christmas festival). Paid to Rev. M. Hirtel, German missionary, \$132-56, to the Home at the Five Points, \$55. Brooklyn Ladies' Missionary Society, \$50. building Church in Germany, \$50. Manners' Church in Cherryst. New-York, \$20. for Bibles and Hymn Books. \$6. books for Indians on Long Island, \$18-26. Printing and sundry expenses, \$70-54. Balance on hand, \$38-48. Death had removed two; and the report proceeded to review with pleasure their monthly meetings held during the year, and appealed for future cooperation and assistance. Addresses were delivered by Rev. A. S. Francis and Rev. John Pegg, Jr. The former, a Home Missionary, describes the scene of his labors—Amagansett—the last village on Long Island, next the Indians, as wanting deplorably, missionary and. The bulk of the inhabitants got their support from the water, living in a state of heathenism such as was to be found in no Christian land, totally disregarding the Sabbath and not knowing God; and to remedy this state of things there were no means. The latter made an eloquent knowing God, and to remedy this state of things there were no means. The latter made an eloquent address on Juvenile benevolence and religious sym-

CIRCUIT COURT .- Before Judge Mitchell. CIRCUIT COURT.—Before Judge Mitchell.

—James Main agt John Reinsen and others, proprietors of the Cemetery of the Evergreens.—This was an action to recover a certain piece of ground, by virtue of an alleged prior contract for the purchase by the plaintiff, in breach whereof the defendant, Reinsen, had subsequently sold to his co-defendants, and with them had established this Cemetery, of which his land formed a part, though it was not yet ornamentally laid out. The trial occupied the attention of the Court for two days, and resulted in the dismissal of the complaint, as the contract relied upon had not been sufficiently proved.

Fires.-On Saturday afternoon last the FIRES.—On Saturday afternoon last the argenter shop of Thomas Morgan, 5 Schermerhornst, was discovered to be on fire a few moments after the workmen had left it. It burnt rapidly, and was consumed, together with about \$200 or \$300 worth of tools, &c., before the water from the engines could be brought to bear upon it. Dwelling houses Nos, and 7 on either side were considerably damaged, but have if from destruction by the well-directed exertions of the firemen and police, the latter laboring assistants of with buckets.

of the firemen and positive for the firemen and positive and the same day about 9 o'clock on the evening of the same day there was an alarm of fire caused by the burning of a shanty on Red Hook Point. Less trifing.

CORONER'S INQUEST .- An inquest was held on Saturday last upon the body of John Lee, who resided at the corner of Hoyt and Baltie sts. Deceased was 61 years of age, a native of Ireland, and died of disease of the heart. Verliet in ac-

IF Hon. JOHN BREDIN, for twenty years President Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Pennsylvania, died at Butler, on the 21st uit. He had just prepared his papers for Court, and while engaged in writing a letter was attacked with paralysis of the brain and died within an hour. The Butler Waig speaks of him in terms of high panegyric both as a man and a Judge, and says that his death has created a void that cannot easily be filled.

18 Gov. Woon of Ohio, being on a visit to Indianapolis lately, was received by the citizens of that place with distinguished honors.

ANTI-TORACCO MOVEMENT.-The Con-ANTI-TORACCO MOVEMENT. The Con-vention of Congregational Ministers, at the late anni-versary meeting, raised a Committee for gathering statistics relating to the "pecuniary and moral bear-ings" of tobacco, whether in the form of smoking, chewing, and snuffing. The movement probably looks to the formation of a new society of reform, but a vair be taken to end in smoote. (Box. Tray but it will be likely to end in smore.

By Telegraph to the New-York Tribune. The Election-Latest from the Boubtful

Districts. TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT

ITHACA, Monday, June 2. The Election is so close in this District that nothing short of the official count will deside it here. I believe that Williams is elected thus: Tompkins, 18 maj. for Williams . Yates, 28 maj. for Stanton ; Seneca, 15 maj. for Williams. Giving Williams. 5 may in this District.

TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.

JEFFERSON, Chemung Co., May 28. Returns from Steuben insure Guinnip's election in this District by about 100 majority-all the towns having been heard from. The above is undoubtedly correct.

Military Celebration-The Shadrach Rescue

Military Celebration—The Shadrach Rescue Case, &c.

Beston, Monday, June 2.

The Accient and Honorable Artillery Company celebrate their two hundred and thirteenth Anniversary to-day by a parade, an artillery election, sermon and dinner. Gen. Wool and his Aid, Captain McLean, who arrived here last night, are now reviewing the Company on the Common also Gen. Shields of Sherman's battery of flying artillery, and Gov. Boutwell with his Staff. The display is quite imposing. Gen. Wool and other invited guests will dine with the Company.

The Fugitive Rescue case was resumed this morning, and a large number of witnesses have been called by the Government to rebut the testimony impeaching the character of Byrnes, the Deputy U. S. Marshal. The character of Byrnes for truth is strongly sustained by these witnesses, all of whom are respectable, and intimately acquainted with the Deputy Marshal. The rebuting testimony will prohably close the evidence. It is thought the Hox. J. P. Hale will commence his closing argument for the prisoner to-morrow.

From Cincinnati, &c .- Affairs in Yucatan. CINCINNATI, Monday, June 2.

Hon. Thomas Corwin arrived home on Hon. Thomas Cofwin arrived nome on Friday night.

We have no signs of Cholera in the city, and the cases on the river are chiefly confined to emigrants. By advices from New-Orieans, we learn that from Yucatan it is reported that the Indian warfare is fast drawing to a close. The Indians had sustained a bloody defeat at Bacalos, where they were utterly routed by the Whites.

Cholera on the Mississippi.

. Cholera has broken out on the lower Mississippi. The steamer Pride of the West arrived from below, crowded with Emigrants, among whom 24 Cholera deaths occurred together with 8 cases which promise to terminate favorably.

Gen. Persifer F. Smith-City Election. Washington, Monday, June 2.

Gen. Persifer F. Smith has arrived here. Our city election is progressing quietly.

Naval Intelligence. Norrolk, Monday, June 2
The U.S. sloop of war Jamestown, Capt. Downg, bound to Brazil, via Madeira, sailed yesterday

THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS. The Sixth Session of this body is to be held at Albany the present week. There will undoubtedly be a fair attendance of Delegates from various sections of the country. Many distinguished Reformers have resolved to attend. Of course, the State of New-York will be fully represented. Our City, too, will not be backward. From Milwaukee, Wis., W. K. Wilson, (who made the movement for Land Limitation in the last Wisconsin Assembly,) has been delegated to the Congress by the Land Reformers, as also Lucas Seaver, the President of the Milwaukee Typographical Association, and Dr. F. Huebschmann, a m ber of the Wisconsin Senate. This is a strong Delegation, and shows that the Reformers of the North-West mean to persevere in their noble offorts for Land and Labor Reform.

The advices from Tennessee are most cheering to Reformers, many of the most distinguished jurists and statesmen espousing the Land Reform cause. Beside Judge Edmund Dillahunty, Hon. A. O. P. Nicholson, (a Chancellor of Tennessee, and formerly U. S. Senator, and to whom Gen. Cass addressed the celebrated Nicholson letter,) has declared himself in favor of Land Reform, and commits himself fully to the Homestead Bill of Hon. Andrew Johnson. Chanceller Nicholson's opinions on Land Reform were addressed to a body of Reformers, at Greenville, Tenn., and are published at length, with an editorial endorsement in the Naskville Union, (Opp.) So progresses this beneficent reform.

The Cincinnati Industrial Reformers have delegated L. A. Hine and Elias Longly to attend the

The Rochester Daily Times, calls upon the Reformers of that City also to send delegates.

POPULATION OF THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE.—The Russian ministry have just published the census of the Empire for the year 1846. In European Russia it contains 52,565, 334 souls; in the four Western Governments of Siberia 2,153,958; in the Kingdom of Rusian Poland 4,800,000 (this is an approximation merely;) in the Grand Duchy of Finnland 1,600,000; in the territory heyond the Caucasus 2,500,000; total 63,600,000. If we add to these the inhabitants of the district of Jarkutsk, of the island of Kamschatka, of Ochotsk, of the American possessions, the submitted Kisgis hordes, and finally the army, the entire population of the empire will amount to 65,000,000; of these 49,000,000 belong to the Orthodox Greek Church, 7,300,000 to the Roman Catholics, 3,500,000 are Protestants, 2,400,000 Mohammedans, 1,200,000 Jews, 1,000, Armenian, Gregorian and Armenian Catholics, 600,000 Pagans.

Indiana .- In the VIth District Willis A. Gorman has been renominated by the Opposition for reelection. From the packing of Delegates which has been going on in Gorman's District, this result was not unexpected. It is already announced that three or four distinguished Locos intend to oppose Gorman if he persists in running, and no doubt if the friends of Reform unite, a liberal man will be elected from the District. The District gave Taylor 6,922, Cass 7,094, and Van Buren 234.

In the IXth District, Dr. Graham N. Fitch is the Opposition candidate. A Convention of the Whigs has been called.

DIVORCE IN HUNGARY.-In the year 1850 there were decided in Hungary 2,958 cases of divorce ; in 2112 the right was declared to be on the side of the women, and in 765 on the side of the men, while there were only 81 cases in which both parties were declared to be in fault.

THE VIRGINIA CONVENTION has adopted in Committee of the Whole a provision pr hibiting the Legislature from passing any law for the emancipation of slaves. At first view this might appear to indicate that public opinion in Virginia on the slavery question is going backward; but we draw precisely the opposite inference, viz: that the sentiment in favor of emancipation is gaining so rapidly that the Saveholders are alarmed and seek to protect their darling institution by taking from the Legislature the power to abolish it.

FROM HAYTI.-The schr. Arietis, Capt. Woodhull, arrived yesterday from Jacmel, St. Domingo, whence she sailed on the 18th ult. We learn from Capt. W. that all was quiet on the Island when the A sailed. The rebel Prince, Bobo, was still a fugitive in the mountains.

Mr. Walsh, the U.S. Commissioner, was will at

Jacmel, and had not succeeded in arranging a peace between the Emperor Faustin and the Spanish portion of the Island, but it was generally believed that a Treaty would soon be made.

To DANIEL WEBSTER has been invited to deliver an address before the exizens of Newburyport on the coming Fourth of July. He has also, as well as President Fillmore, been invited by the at thorities of Lowell to visit that city

NEW PUBLICATIONS. THE HYDROPATHIC ENCYCLOPE-

pra," by R. T. TRALL, M. D. is a new work on the science of health, of which the first number has just been issued by Fowlers & Wells. It is intended to form a complete system of Hygiene on hydropathic principles, embracing the outlines of anatomy and physiology, dictotics, the theory and practice of water cure, and the causes, symptoms, and treatment of all known diseases. The comprehensive view which it presents of the philosophy of life and health, and the of Hygene, eminently adapt it for a guide to families and students, as well as a text-book for physicians. In the opinion of the author, most diseases can be managed by non-professional persons, without the ad of an attending physician, and it is one object of his work to hasten the coming of the time when all intelligent persons shall be as able to take care of their own health as to procure their own livelihood The present number gives a brief history of medicine from the earliest Egyptian physicians to modern times, including a variety of instructive details with regard to Æsculap us, Hippocrates, Galen, the Monks and Alchemists of the Middle Ages, and the various medical sects of a more recent period. This is followed by a plain and popular treatise on anatomy, illustrated by numerous engravings, which, with an ordinary degree of attention, will enable the general reader to become a proficient in that science. The ability with which the contents of this work are prepared, and its attractive external appearance, will create an interest in its behalf among the host of renders of Fowlers & Wells's excellent publications. and ultimately guarantee it a wide circulation. It is to be issued in eight successive numbers, forming, when complete, two handsome volumes of nearly five hundred pages each.

THE PHRENOLOGICAL JOURNAL" and THE WATER-CURE JOURNAL" for June are as usual sch in articles for agrecable and useful family reading. The engravings in the Phrenological Journal are numerous and valuable. (Fowlers & Wells.)

THE ECLECTIC MAGAZINE, for June, presents an admirable selection from the more substantial portions of the periodical literature of the past month. It caters with excellent tact to the denand for popular reading, while at the same time, it preserves whatever is of the most permanent value in the leading magazines and reviews. The frontis piece is an allegorical engraving of the Fall of Hun-

"HARPER'S MAGAZINE" for June reprints "Summer" from Thomson's Seasons, with the spirited wood engravings of the pictorial edition .-Among the selections are extracts from Lady Emeline Stuart Wortley's book of American Travels, and other novelties from the English press.-" THE IN-TERNATIONAL" contains its usual affluence of literary gossip by the Editor, with a choice miscellany of translated and selected matter.

THE NORTH AMERICAN HOMEOPA-THIC JOURNAL," for May, conducted by Drs. HERING, MARCY and METCALF, contains articles from the pens of the Editors, with contributions from other distinguished Homeopathic physicians. It is published in a neat siyle by William Radde.

YOUTHFUL PATRIOTISM AT A DISCOUNT .-The Boston correspondent of the Anti-Slavery Standand tells the following story

Mr. Emerson has distinguished himself by an admirable discourse on the Fugitive Law, and an analytical or rather anatomical demonstration of the remains of Mr. Webster. At Cambrige, where the autopsy was first made, some patriotic youth, worthy sons of worthy sires, undertook to save the Union in a small way by distribution him. Their strength of topsy was first made, some patriotic youth, worthy sons of worthy sires, undertook to save the Union in a small way by disturbing him. Their attempt, however, only gave interest and spirit to the meeting. After it was over, these ingenious youth proceeded to the Colleges, and first tried to call out Mr. Everett, by shouting under his windows. But he would not come when they did call for him. So they adjourned to President Sparks's and renewed the experiment. Here they were more successful, for the President appeared at a window and sternly demanded to know why they were making that noise! Upon which they explained that they had been hearing Mr. Webster and Mr. Everett abused, and had come to relieve their bursting hearts. Upon which the President we have just been to Mr. Everett's "remonstrated one of them. "Then you have insulted him as well as me, and now go about your business." If it be true that the head of the University thus snubbed the budging patriotism of the students, I think that it is none too soon that the Legislature has ordered an incurry into its administration. equiry into its administration

TERRIBLE HAIL STORM .- One of the most mile in width, marking its path with most fearful a serious destruction. We traversed a part of its roll on Monday, and found a scene of desolation entire beyond our powers of description. Hundreds noble forest trees, which had withstood the blast centuries, perhaps, were strewn, broken and shatted to said confusion promite earth. Great orchi. defiuries, perhaps, were strewn, broken and shattered, in wild confusion upon the earth. Great orchard trees were uprooted and leveled with the ground and the younger ones were pealed and broken as if a herd of voracious and half starved animals had ranged upon them. Grain fields, which before the storm's approach waved in rich luxurance, and promised mets abundant crops, are more desolate and barren than new mown stubble. Clover fields look as if no spear had grown upon the barren soil. A "neck of every vestage of verdure that they remand one of the bleak days of December; and the fields around are so parched and deadened and bare as if a fiery draught and burning sun had blighted and blasted vegetation to the very earth. Hundreds upon hundreds of pannels of fence were blown down.

ence were blown down. Hallidaysburgh (Pa.) Register, May 29th. GREAT HAIL-STORM IN ORIO. - A terrific Great Hail. Storm in Ohio. —A terrific had storm passed over a portion of Clark Co. Ohio, last Saturday week. At South Charleston in that ocenty, the hail-stones fell, as the account says, of the size of cemmon mineral door knobs, some spheroidal, others had the appearance of broken jagged ite. The ground was soon covered. The lambs and poultry were killed wherever exposed. The cattle ran about frantic and bellowing their hides so severely lacerated as to present on the following day the best evidence of the severity of the storm. The stage reached the hotel just in time to save the passengers, though the horses did not escape so well. Assistance was at hand the moment it stopped to get them free from the stage, when they dashed off at a furious pace, clearing fences, and wild with terror some of the stones weighted 45 ounces, and were too large to go into a common tumbler. Glass and sash were smashed wherever unprotected by shutters. Of course, trees, shrubbory and grain suffered severely.

The Latest Case of Absence of Mind.

THE LATEST CASE OF ABSENCE OF MIND. THE LATEST UASE OF ABSENCE OF MIND.

—Mr. Edmund Quincy, in his last Boston letter to the New-York Anti-Sixery Standard, records as a remarkable a case of absence of mind in a Southern gentleman, as we have met with lately. He says "A southern trader went to his Correspondent here, a sound Webster Whig, and squared his account. Upon being asked whether he had not a fresh order to give, he replied, "No, I have resoived to buy no more goods in Boston, until she shows a more proper regard for Southern rights:" So he manfully went his way to some more patriotic city. more proper regard for Southern rights!" So he manfully went his way to some more patriotic city. But shortly he came back, and, after mousing about for some time, finally bought his goods to a large amount, of a house, the head of which is well known as an out and out Garrisonian Abolistonist, an active member of the American Anti-Slavery Society! So let the South look out for infected articles. Hydraulies may make water run up hill, but the moral hydrostatic power has not yet been discovered which can turn the cause of trade out of its natural channel. Patriotism may be a very powerful motive, but it has not strength enough to keep a merchant from buying his goods where he can get them best and cheapest.

THE NEW APPOINTMENT—Those only who remember the tedious and angry contests which have heretofore taken place in Congress under every new census, in the apportionment of representation among the States—each member striving for a ratio that would throw upon his State the smallest fraction—can appreciate the wisdom which suggested the present mode of settling that hitherto difficult and vexations question, a mode so simple, so equitable, so easy of adjustment. The number of inhabitants in each State being ascertained, and the number of which the House of Representatives shall be composed having been established by law, the ascertainment of the ratio is a mere question of simple arithmetic, which a school-boy might solve. The system works with the ease and harmony of a law of nature. For this invaluable reform the country is indebted to that wise and veteran legislator, Sancel P Visros, of Ohio, whose withdrawal from Congress cannot be otherwise than deeply regretted by every friend to his country.

**Told We Win, B. Tilton of Alabama, has THE NEW APPOINTMENT-Those only who

Mr. Wm. B. Tilton of Alabama, has succeeded in effecting a remarkable improvement in the tone of violins. His invention has been sub-mitted to the most scrutinizing tests by musical men in NewOrleans, and has met with the warm-

CROPS AT THE SOUTH .- The Macon (Ga.) From every section of the State we receive the lost encouraging accounts in regard to the prospects of the fruit growers. The peech crop will be the truct growers. The peech crop will be the truct ever produced in the State. The trees in

be farmers are generally engaged in harvesting The latiners are generally engaged in harvesting the wheat crop. The extent of ground planted is not as great as usual, but the quality of the grain is better, and the quantity per acre is greater than for the last four years. This statement will hold good in regard to nearly every County in middle and upper Georgia and Tennessee. Should the season prove favorable for threshing, we are inclined to think that the quantity of wheat produced will be

Died in Princeton, Thursday afterhoon. May 29 of Consumption, Robert E. Hornor, in the 21st year of his age. Few men in our State were more widely known personally than Mr. H. For many years he was in active hie, first in the mercan-tile business, then in politics. For several years he many years he was in active life, first in the mercantile business, then in politics. For several years he published and edited the Princeton Waig—originally called the American System—and started by him in 1832, for the purpose of advocating the protection of American industry, and the election of Henry Clay. He was elected Clerk of the Senate in 1838, we believe, which office he held for three years. He was appointed Posimaster in Princeton by President Harrison, but was Tylerized at the expiration of a few months. The last and most important publications which he held was Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives. Mr. Hurmor's ancestors belonged to the Society of Friends, and were among the first and most respectable of the early settlers of Princeton. All who knew him intimately, knew him to be of a kind and obliging disposition.

[Princeton Whig. obliging disposition.

HUMILIATING CONTRAST .- South-Carolina throws the citizens of Massachusetts into prison, and either sells them into Slavery or compels other citizens to pay for their release. She mobathe agents of Massachusetts out of the State when sent to seek instice in national courts, and they have to escape for their lives.

nistice in national courts, and they are for South-for their lives.

Massachusetts turns volunteer catchpole for South-Carolina Negro-hunters, the whole municipal power of Boston, civil and military, puts itself upon the scent at an expense of \$10,000 to catch a single Negro; conveys him to South-Carolina in triumph, as a good hound lays the prey at its master's feet, and receives South-Carolina's thanks for "alacrity," "encourage (Portland Inquirer.

A PATRIOTIC AND LIBERAL OFFER. -One of the disunion papers of South Carolina makes a very furious annunciation that "John W. Wright, a notorious Free-Soiler, has been elected Mayor of Logansport, Ind." Mr. Wright, after due reflection upon the subject, has authorized the Editor of the Indiana Scatines to announce that if South Carolina will abundon her maj projects of disuning, and on will abandon her mad projects of distintion, and ligate herself to talk no more about secession will, for the purpose of quieting the South Caro will, for the purpose of quieting the South Carolina mind, resign the Mayorship of Logansport. So we may expect a compromise between South Carolina and Logansport. All true patriots may rejoice. "Grim-visaged war" will soon "smooth his wrinkled front."

ARREST OF DESERTERS. - Our readers will ecollect that some time since we gave an account marine department, of the desertion from O. Russell, Esq. U. S. Deputy Marshal, three of the scoundrels have been attrested in this city, viz. John Mitchell, John A. Riley and Charles Peterson, and were yesterday taken before. Hon. Geo. S. Hillard, U. S. Commissioner at Boston, and bound over in the sum of \$226 for trial, and in default of giving ball were committed. [New-Bedford Mercury.]

A Brave Woman .-- On Sunday last, says A Brave Woman.—On Sunday last, says the Watertown Infersonam, the house of Mr. Thomas Relyea, of Pamelia, was entered by an Irishman, who took a small trink containing valuable papers, &c., and walked off with it. Mrs. Relyes hearing a noise looked out of the window and saw the robber making off with his booty. She pursued, overtook, captured the follow, and with the assistance of one or two children took him back to the house. She then made an effort to bind his hands, but unable to do that she next attempted his legs, and succeeded in binding them with a rope and held him a prisoner until assistance came. The fellow is now in jail in that village. The fellow is now in jail in that village.

ARRIVAL OF THE FLORIDA-UNPRECE-ARRIVAL OF THE PLORIDA—UNPRECEDENTED PASSAGE—The United States mail steam
ship Florida, Captain Lyon, to Messrs, Padeiford,
Fay & Co., arrived here yesterday morning at three
o'clock, in fifty-nine hours from New Y-rk to Sarannah'. This is the shortest trip ever made between
the two places, and the best time ever made by any
steamer in the Senth Atlantic waters. Passengers
going West arrived in Maron yesterday afternoon in
seventy-four hours from New York, after having remained two and a half hours in this city.

[Savannah Republican, May 25.]

PAINFUL AFFAIR.—The Lawrence Couror says that two brothers named Neison, residing in Derry, N. H., got into a dispute on last Sunday night, when one of them threw a pair of bellows at his bro-ther as he was leaving the room. The nose of the bellows struck the other's head just above the ear,

RAPID TRAYBLING .- The Cleveland Plain Dealer of May 28, says. The New-York papers of gesterday morning reached us this morning. How is that a sks the astonished reader—don't think they came by mail; Oh no, they came by Railroad and steamboat, distancing Uncle Sam's Mail team a thousand miles at least. The Alabama arrived here this morning, tenhours from Dunkirk, bringing papers and passengers that twelve hours before left New-York, making the time between Cleveland and Gotham making the time between Cleveland and Gotham twenty-two hours.

MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE SUBSCRIPTION. MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE SUBSCRIPTION.—
President Larabee has returned to Middlebury from New-York City, where he has been soliciting subscriptions to the funds of the College. With the additional subscriptions in Boston, and other parts of Massachusetts, and those in New-York, the sumalready raised reaches very nearly \$15,000. The Resister trusts the friends of the College in Vermount will see that the remaining \$10,000 of the smount proposed to be raised is speedily subscribed.

FIRE .- At Savannah, Geo., on the 28th ult., fire was discovered issuing from a warehouse on the Bluf, occupied by several merchants. Only a portion of the building was sared. The entire loss is estimated at \$14,000, fully covered by insurance. The building was occupied by Messrs. Woodbridge, Web-ster & Palmes, and the fron Steamboat Company.

The oldest person returned by the census takers in the United States is SUKRY WAIGHT, a colored woman, in the city of Baltimore. She is 120 years of age, and the Assistant Marshal says there is no doubt of the fact. At the time of the Revolution in 1775, she had a child 25 years of age. SAD ACCIDENT .- We learn from the

Monchester Mirror that Wm. F. and Francis Boyce, brothers, residents of Amoskeag village, were drown-ed in the Merrimack river on Friday, while attempt-ing to gather drift wood. NEW-YORK STATE FAIR .- The work of

draining a portion of the grounds selected at Roches-ter for the approaching State Fair, has been com-menced. The water will oscape into the Valley Canal JOSHUA R. GIDDINGS is rapidly re-

covering from the bodily injuries he received a short time since.

The Ocean Steamers.

LIST OF STRAMES FOR THE MONTH OF MAY.

Kim. From N Y May 31. South ton & Havre.

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senet From N Y May 31. For Charleston. All Letters and Newspapers on hand for England, Ireland and Scotland are sent by the first steamer, no matter of what

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Letters to the Continent of Burope, by the Collins Line, must be prepaid twenty-one cents a single rate, except for those places required to be prepaid in full.

Letters to the Continent of Europe by the Cumand Line, must be prepaid five cents a single rate, except to those places required to be prepaid in full.

Letters by the Havre Line, must be prepaid twenty-four cents per half ounce, inland Fostage to be added, except to Great Britain.

Newspapers by either Line, to the Continent, must be prepaid for cents each.

posi four cents each.

Inland Postage must be added on Letters and Newspapers to the Continent of Europe, by the Havre and Bromen Lines.

ASIA. Suited from Liverpool for New-York, May 24.
PACIFIC. Sailed from Liverpool for New-York, May 24.

INSURANCE.

HUDSON RIVER FIRE INSUR-ANCE CO.—Capital \$300,000.—Office No. 46 Wall-st. (Manhattan Bank Building.) Losses promptly adjusted and paid.

BAIAH BLOOD, President. P. J. AVERY, Secretary, James A. Requa, Assistant Secretary.

DIVIDEND.—The fiscal year of the UNION MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY whose prosperity has not been equaled by any other like matitutions) closes on the first day of July. Parties are recommended to make early application for insurance and MILLARD PARKER, M.D. Physicians. C. R. GILMAN, M.D. Physicians, full tables and every information given by Blanks, full tables and every information given by JUDD & HOLLISTER, Agents, my 22 2w. ST Wall-st., Jauncey Court.

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GROCERS FIRE INSURANCE CO. No. 81 Wall-st. corner of Pearl-st. CAPITAL \$200,000. At an election held this day the following contlones were chosen Directors of this Company for the ensuing

Hosty Edsy. Isaac C Taylor, William R Foster, At a subsequent meeting of the Board, SAMPSON, MOORE, Esq., was unanimously redected President of the Company. J. MILTON SMITH, Secretary. New-York, Feb. 3, 1251.

N.B.—Thus Company continues to insure Buildings, Morchandise, Household Furniture, Vessels in Port, &c., on the nest favorable terms. All losses promptly adjusted and paid.

THE NEW-ENGLAND LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY of New-Haven, Conn., maure horses, cattle, &c. against loss from death, either from natural causes, accident, or disease of any description whatever. New-York Agency 38 William-st., Merchants' Exchange. [2711] L. D. HART, Agent.

FINANCIAL.

\$900,000 SEVEN PER CENT. inte Stock within five years.—Sealed grapessals will be received at the office of this Company. 73 Broadway, in the City of New York, untal the 14th day of June next, for any sum not exceeding Nine Hundred Thousand Bollars, of the first and only bends of the Panama Railroad Company, payable on the first day of July 1866.

The bonds are for \$1,900 each, dated July 1, 1831, with increast, at seven per cent, per amoun, payable half-yearly, in the city of New York, and are convertible into stock at any time before the first day of July 1856. They are issued in pursuance of the act of incorporation of the Company, passed by the Legislature of the State of New York, section 8th, as follows.

passed by the Logislature of the State of New York, section 8th, is follows:

"The said corporation may berrow from time to time such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to complete said road, and for the other curposes authorized by this act, in the whole not exceeding the amount of the capital stock actually paid in, and may issue and dispose of their bonds for any amount so borrowed; and are hereby authorized to margaze any part of their corporate property and privileges to secure the payment of such bonds. And the said Directors may conter on the holder of any bend they may issue, for any money so borrowed, the right to convert the principal due thereon into stock of the said corporation at any time not exceeding five years from the date of said bond, under such reculations as the Directors may see fit to adopt; and for such purpose, the said corporation are authorized to increase its capital stock to the amount so borrowed, whenever the persons, or any of them, to whom such money is due, shall elect to convert the same into stock."

million of Dollars of the Capital Stock of the Com-mas been subscribed, and more than \$900,000 actually

miler next.
Twenty miles will be in operation in July.
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The section between Gorzona and Panama. 19 miles, has an surveyed and located, and part of the rails are already.
Panama. It is for this section that the money for the

Bends is required.

Any of the present Stockholders making proposals as above, will be entitled to take, at par, Bonds to the extent of their Stock respectively, and the amounts not thus taken will be sold absolutely to the highest bakier, but no offers below par will be considered.

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ity at the Isthmus of Foreign Q guarantees ment of the United States.

No taxes or contributions of any kind can be imposed on the road by the Government of New-Granada, nor upon passengers, nor any duties on property of any kind, transported across the Isthmus upon the road.

Any further information required may be obtained at the office of the Company.—New-York, 20th May, 131.

CORNELIUS W. LAWRENCE, Pres't, pro. tem. FRANCE SPIES, Secretary.

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NOTICE to CONTRACTORS.—OHIO and PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—PROPO Is will be received for the GRADING and RRIEG-G of the Western portion of the Ohio and Pennsylvania irond, extending from Woester, by Londonville and metical, to the Clevelland, Columbus, and Cincinnat Mansfeld, to the Cleveland, Columbus, and Cinemana. Hailroad, at Creatime near Galion, a distance of dity-three miles. They will be received at Wooster until the evening of TCESDAY the 10th of June, and at Mansfeld until the evening of Wednesday the 11th June, and will be addressed to the undersured President of the Company. Plans and profiles of the work east of Londonville will be ethibited at Wooster, and of the work wost of Londonville at Mansfeld, for one week before the lotting. Further information and forms of proposals may be obtained on application to Sciomon W. Roberts, Chief Engineer, or Jesse R. Strasgian, Readent Engineer of the Western Division. A preference will be given to bidders who will agree to take a per centage of their pay in the stock of the Company.

WM. ROBINSON, Jr., President.

Pittaburgh, May 37, 1851.

BANK DEPARTMENT-STATE of PLAINS DEPARTMENT—STATE of NEW YORK—ALBANY May 31, 1851.—The PINE PLAINS BANK has that day filed in this office, a notice of the appointment of Messrs. HENRY SHELDON & CO of the City of New York, as agents for the redemption of its circulating notes, together with a revocation of the appointment of Messrs. Pepson & Hoffman of the same city as such agents, agreeable to the act entitled. "A next to amend the several acts relating to Incorporated Banks, Banking Associations and Individual Bankers," passed April 17, 1851. DANIEL B. ST. JOHN, Superintendent, 122 6t.

BANK DEPARTMENT -- STATE OF

BROADWAY BANK, New York, May 26, 1851.

FLECTION.—The ANNUAL ELECof the next succeeding election will be held at the Banking
House, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of June ensuing. The
Poll will be open from 12 M. to 2 P. M.

Day 27 Let 18

THE FINAL INSTALMENT of forty per cent on the Capital Stock of the BANK OF NORTH AMERICA has been called, to be paid at the Banking Rooms of said Bank, 27 Wall-st on or before the left day of June, 1851. Old certificates to be returned. my22 tiell

SEVENTH WARD BANK, New-York, May 17, 1851.

LECTION.—The Stockholders of this.
Bank are hereby actuded that an election for thirteen
Directors, to serve for the ensuing year, and for three fraspectors of the next succeeding election, will be held at the
spectors of the next succeeding election, will be held at fraspectors of the next succeeding election, will be held at fraspectors House, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of June next.
The poll will, be opened at 12 o'clock, M, and close at 2
v'clock P M. By order of the Beard,
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\$30.000 TO LOAN at six per cent.
on productive Real Estate in this city, in one or more sums.
Apply to JOHN F. CONREY, 22 Wall, somer of Broadstreet.
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\$150,000 TO LEND on BOND applicants, on productive Real Estate, in this city or Brookapplicants, on productive Real Estate, in this city or Brookiya. Suma of \$5,000, and apwards, will be ioaned at 6 per
cent interest on city property. Apply to 8. S. Broad, II
Wall-st, in the Croton Water Office basement. N. B.
Capitaliats, who have money to invest on mortgage, can always find safe investments, free from all expense, by calling
as above.

OFFICE for PATENTS, 5 Wall-st. Patents for INVENTIONS procured in all parts of trope, the Canadas, Cubs. the Brazils, and in the United States. - The Patent Laws of all National can be obtained at this office. 1 rol. 8vo. 356 pp. Price \$1. my10 tf.

ROCKY-BAR MINING CO.'S Office frehange, Hanover-st., two shors from Wall-st. P. D. MICKLER, President.

METROPOLITAN BANK.—Notice is per cent on the Capital Stock of the Metropolitan Bank will be payable on Thursday, 3th day of Jone nert, at their Banking Reom, 34 Wall-st. Per order of the Board of Directors, New-York, May 19, 1851.

TAX COMMISSIONEE'S OFFICE,

New City Hall, April 25, 1801.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—The

Assessment Rolls of the several Wards in the City of

New York will be opened for examination and review
from TUESDAY, the 20th day of May, to MONDAY, the

30th day of June, both days inclusive. All Tax Payers de
arrous of examining or correcting the Assessment Holls, are

requested to make application to the undersigned between

the hours of 9 AM and 4 P M.

JOHN DE LAMATER.

Commissioners.